

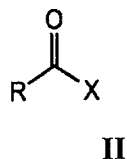
AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This Listing of Claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1-43. (canceled)

44. (Currently amended) A method for treating Mild Cognitive Impairment (MCI) in a subject in need thereof ~~mammal~~, comprising the step of administering to said subject a pharmaceutical composition comprising a therapeutically effective amount of a compound having the formula:



~~to said mammal~~, wherein:

X is -OH, -O-alkali metal, -NH₂, or -SH; and

R is -CH[(CH₂)₂CH₃]₂.

45-52. (canceled)

53. (Currently amended) The method of claim 44, wherein said subject ~~mammal~~ is a human.

54-62. (canceled).